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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01-297-A)

In re Application of:)
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Woodrow A. Powers II)
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Serial No.: 10/524,332) Examiner: Morgan, Eileen P.
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Filing Date: June 20, 2005) Art Unit: 3723
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For: PORTABLE SHARPENING SYSTEM FOR)
A DUAL-KNIFE CUTTING MACHINE)

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
 - a. Response to Office Action of March 22, 2006
 - b. Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to additional fees: No fee is due at this time. Please charge any deficiency in the amount due, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 13-2490**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
3. **CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10 (EXPRESS MAIL):** The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the documents hereinabove listed are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" being Express Mail No. EV839378064US in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 10th day of **May, 2006**.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 22, 2006

Dear Madam:

In response to the subject Office Action, please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this response.